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Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20554

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Dear Sir,

Enclosed is an original and four copies of a Petition for Rule Making to amend the FM table of allotments for a new FM broadcast station for Glenrock, Wyoming.

Sincerely,

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President

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Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, DC 20554

In the matter of:)		
Amendment of Section 73.202 (b))	RM-	
Table of Allotments)	KIVI-	-
FM Broadcast Stations)		
(Glenrock, Wyoming))		

PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

In this petition, Vixon Valley Broadcasting is hereby requesting to allot channel 252A (98.3 Mhz) to Glenrock, Wyoming as its first local FM allotment.

INTRODUCTION

1. This statement is a petition for rule making to allot FM channel 252A (98.3 Mhz) to Glenrock, Wyoming and add it to the Commission's FM table of allotments, 73.202. The following will show the need for an FM channel and the effects the allotment of Channel 252A to Glenrock will have.

DISCUSSION

2. Glenrock is located in central Wyoming. It is also located within Converse County, a county of some 11,128 persons. Glenrock has a population of 2153 persons in accordance with the U.S. 1990 census.

3. The allotment of channel 252A to Glenrock will provide the first local broadcast facility to the community and/or the surrounding area. The closest FM allotment to Glenrock is located at Douglas, Wyoming. Glenrock is located 31 kilometers from Douglas.

It is obvious that from the above spacing that Glenrock is presently without local FM service.

- 4. Glenrock would greatly benefit from an FM allotment due to the fact there is no AM or FM broadcast facilities within 31 Kilometers of Glenrock. Because of this, it would have an outlet for local self expression. Health and safety for the community would be increased due to having a local communications outlet for warning the Glenrock area of emergency conditions caused by severe weather or other health hazards.
- 5. Channel 252A can be allotted to Glenrock and meet all rules and requirements of the Commission. The instant proposal will not cause a change in the channel number or a deletion of any channel now appearing in the Commission's table of allotments 73.202.

	Present	Proposed	
Glenrock, Wyoming		252A	

6. In accordance with 73.207 of the Commission's rules, "Minimum Distance Separations between Stations", all allotments on Channel 252A and the pertinent adjacent channels to 252A have been studied with the results listed in Figure 1 of this petition. The geographic coordinates used for the spacing

Study (N 42 - 51 - 00", W. 105 - 52 - 00") are that of a site located within the community of Glenrock. No site restriction will be required to allot channel 252A to Glenrock. Many suitable transmitter sites are available to provide city grade coverage (3.16 mv/m or 70 dbu) to the entire community of Glenrock. These sites would also provide full minimum spacing requirements to other allotments.

CONCLUSION

- 7. It has been shown that Glenrock would benefit from the allotment of channel 252A. It has also been shown that channel 252A can be allotted to Glenrock and meet all rules regarding spacing from other stations. Considering these two facts, Vixon Valley Broadcasting hereby requests that the Federal Communications Commission institute a Rule Making proceeding to amend the Table of Allotments to include channel 252A for Glenrock, Wyoming 73.202.
- 8. Should channel 252A be allotted to Glenrock, Wyoming, I certify that I will file an application for a Construction Permit to operate an FM station for Glenrock, Wyoming.

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CERTIFICATION

9. I certify that I have prepared or directly supervised the preparation of this entire Petition for Rule Making, and that the facts contained within are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, accurate and true.

Dated: October 11, 1996 Respectfully submitted,

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President

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MAPFM search of channel 252A6 (98.3 MHz), at N. 42 51 0, W. 105 52 0.

Searching Channel 252A6 (98.3 MHz):

CALL CITY ST CHN CL S DIST SEPN BRNG CLEARANCE
ALC Torrington WY 252 C3 V 166.8 142.0 124.7° 24.8
KERM Torrington WY 252 A L 166.8 115.0 124.7° 51.8

FIGURE 1 CHANNEL STUDY GLENROCK, WYOMING

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

